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Please accept and enter the attached copy of the Amendment filed on March 13, 2006 in the above referenced case. The Examiner in this case has indicated that this Amendment was inadvertently not entered when it was filed. I have also attached a copy of the return post card which has been stamped to indicate that the Amendment was received in the USPTO on March 15, 2006. If you have any questions, please let me know. Thanks.

Very truly yours,

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AMENDMENT

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's communication of December 20, 2005, please amend and reconsider the above-identified application, as follows: